



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Wenbo Mao) Examiner: Zachary A. Davis
) Art Unit: 2137
Serial No.: 09/913,003)
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Components of a Public-Key)
Cryptographic System")
) Date: June 27, 2005

AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

The Applicant is submitting this paper to request an amendment after allowance under 37 C.F.R. 1.312(a). Therefore, the Applicant requests, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.312(a), that the application be amended as discussed below. **All amendments and remarks are made without prejudice.**

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.